II. Remarks

A. Status of the claims

Claims 32-51 will be pending after entry of this amendment. Claim 31 has been canceled without prejudice. Claims 1-30 were previously canceled. New claims 32-51 have been added. Support for new claims 32-51 can be found in the application as originally filed, specifically at pages 14-20 of the specification. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been added by virtue of this amendment.

B. Claim Rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112

In the Office Action, claim 31 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph on the alleged grounds of lack of enablement.

Applicants note that claim 31 has been canceled without prejudice, and new claims 32-51 have been added.

Accordingly, this rejection is now moot and the Examiner is respectfully requested to remove the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph.

III. Conclusion

In view of the amendments made and arguments presented, it is believed that all claims are now in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that issues may be resolved by a telephone interview, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (973)597-6162. The undersigned also may be contacted via e-mail at epietrowski@lowenstein.com. All correspondence should be directed to our address listed below.

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AUTHORIZATION

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1358.

> Respectfully submitted, Lowenstein Sandler PC

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